

## MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Director of Health Services Director of Personnel

At its meeting held November 1, 2005, the Board took the following action:

2 Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"Many healthcare professionals have been relocated or displaced due to the various natural disasters impacting our Country. To the extent possible, we should extend an invitation to these individuals to allow them to use their valuable skills in Los Angeles County.

"Medical associations, such as the Los Angeles County Medical Association, could work with component medical associations to determine the feasibility of affected medical personnel who may be interested in working in the County's healthcare system."

Dr. Marcy Zwelling-Aamot, representing the Los Angeles County Medical Association, addressed the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Burke, unanimously carried, the Director of Health Services was instructed to work with the Director of Personnel, and the Los Angeles County Medical Association, to determine the feasibility of providing a "fast track" hiring mechanism for medical professionals displaced from the various natural disasters which impacted our Country, along with any other recommendations; and to report back to the Board within 30 days.

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